IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) An image processing multifunction system comprising:

a plurality of printers, [[and]]

a printer selecting unit configured to select a printer to which image data is supplied,

a server integrated with a scanner including an operation unit, and

a display controller configured to make the operation unit of the scanner display the printer selected by the printer selecting unit, wherein

the scanner is configured to acquire image data of a document and the server is configured to send the image data acquired by the scanner to one of the printers the printer selected by the printer selecting unit for printing; and

the operation unit is configured such that the scanner can be operated in a copy mode by setting (i) the copy mode, (ii) a number of copies, and (iii) a mode content using the operation unit, and when in the copy mode the acquired image data is printed by the selected printer and the selected printer is identified by the operation unit.

2-7. (Cancelled)

8. (Original) The image processing multifunction system according to claim 1, wherein the server and the printers are connected via a bus bridge.

9. (Original) The image processing multifunction system according to claim 8, further comprising:

a data transmitting unit conforming a high-speed serial interface standard, wherein the

data transmitting unit connects the server with the bus bridge, and the bus bridge with the

printers.

10. (Original) The image processing multifunction system according to claim 1,

wherein the printers have different printing performances.

11. (Original) The image processing multifunction system according to claim 10,

wherein the different printing performances include at least one of a difference in image

quality, a difference in printing speed, and a difference between color printing and

monochrome printing.

12. (Cancelled)

13. (Currently Amended) The image processing multifunction system according to

claim [[12]] 1, wherein the printer selecting unit selects a printer that complies with a mode

set by the operation unit of the scanner.

14. (Original) The image processing multifunction system according to claim [[12]]

1, wherein the printer selecting unit selects a printer that is free.

15. (Cancelled)

16. (Currently Amended) A server comprising:

a first interface to which a plurality of printers are connected;

a printer selecting unit configured to select a printer to which image data is supplied;

a scanner engine configured to acquire image data of a document;

an operation unit configured such that scanning can be conducted in a copy mode by operating setting (i) the copy mode, (ii) a number of copies, and (iii) a mode content using the operation unit alone;

a display controller configured to make the operation unit display the printer selected by the printer selecting unit, and when in the copy mode the acquired image data is printed by the selected printer and the selected printer is identified by the operation unit; and

a second interface to which a network is connected, wherein

the server sends the image data acquired by the scanner engine to one of the printers the printer selected by the printer selecting unit for printing.

17. and 18. (Cancelled)

19. (Currently Amended) A scanner comprising:

an interface that is connected to a server, wherein the server is connected with (i) a network of client computers and (ii) a plurality of printers via distinct interfaces, manages and controls the printers, and the scanner is connected to the network only through the server;

a printer selecting unit configured to select a printer to which image data is supplied;

a scanner engine; [[and]]

an operation unit; and

a display controller configured to make the operation unit display the printer selected by the printer selecting unit, wherein

when in a copying mode, the scanner reads image data from a document via the scanner engine by operating the operation unit alone by setting (i) the copy mode, (ii) a

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number of copies, and (iii) a mode content using the operation unit, and supplies the image

data to ~~one of the printers~~ the printer selected by the printer selecting unit via the server and is

identified by the operation unit.